GEAST (alias GUEST) OF HANDSWORTH, STAFFS

ALIAS: GUEST

ARMS:

CREST:

John Geast of Handsworth, Staffs c1455-
m Margaret Hawkes dau and heir of Thomas Hawkes (son of Henry Hawkes of Hopwode, Worcs)
(admitted to a copyhold estate in Handsworth) 1496-7
(by right of his wife, claimed a messuage and land at Row Heath, Worcs)
chn: Richard Geast below
Lawrence Geast further below
Thomas Geast b c1489 further below

Richard Geast of Handsworth, Staffs c1485-1541
d 1541
(NO FAMILY OF THIS NAME) c1532 FAS
chn: John Geast below

John Geast of Handsworth, Staffs c1525-1601
d 1601
chn: Richard Geast below
Henry Geast m Dorothy Smallwood of Queyslade

Richard Geast of Handsworth, Staffs c1565-?a1652
m 4 Feb 1595.6 .....: Elizabeth Cooper ALIAS Piddocke dau of Roger Cooper ALIAS Piddocke of Windsor Green, Warwicks
[? Will *of Handsworth yeoman* (PCC) 1652]
chn: John Geast below
Mary Geast m 1616 Thomas Ashford
Elizabeth Geast m 1625 Abraham Errington
Martha Geast
Jane Geast

John Geast of Hopwode, Worcs 1601-1649
b 8 Jan 1601
m 1627 Joan Court dau of John Court of Studley, Warwicks
d 1649
(held lands at Handsworth)
chn: Richard Geast below
Mary Geast m Roger Clewley

Richard Geast of Handsworth, Staffs c1630-1692
m 1663 Mary Spencer dau of William Spencer of "The Well Head", Handsworth, Staffs c1632-.... QV
d 1692
chn: Nicholas Geast below
Mary Geast m Humphrey Wyrley

1659. Indenture of fine between Richard Guest of Yardley and John Partrich of the Mill near Oldbury, plaintiffs, and Roger Cowper otherwise Pyddocke the elder of Handsworth and Roger Cowper otherwise Pyddocke the younger, deforciants, of a messuage and lands [MS 3602/128]

1680. 1. Henry Stone of Walsall, gent, executor of will of Roger Clewley of same. 2. Richard Guest of Honnesworth [Handsworth], yeoman. In consideration of marriage of Roger Clewley and Mary, sister of (2), now (1) to (2) tenement with garden and shop [111/3/3]

Nicholas Geast of Handsworth, Staffs gentleman c1665-a1721
m Phoebe Downing (kinswoman of Sir George Downing of East Hatley, Cambs Knight)
Will *of Handsworth gent.* (PCC) 3 Jul 1721
(as of Handsworth, Staffs, admitted to Clements Inn, pledged by Arthur Squier) 1693
chn: Richard Geast below

Richard Geast of Handsworth, Staffs Esquire c1695-1736
m 19 Apr 1722 .....: Jane Dugdale 2nd dau of William Dugdale of "Blythe Hall", Shustoke, Warwicks Esquire c1663-1715 QV; d 1772
d 1736; Will *of Handsworth gent.* (PCC) 1 Feb 1737
chn: Richard Geast b c1725 Handsworth below
Henry Geast [? d ?1811; Will of Birmingham gentleman (PCC) 29 Nov 1814]
Judith Geast

Richard Geast LATER Dugdale c1725-1806
b c1725 Handsworth
m 1767 Penelope Bate Stratford 1st dau and coheir of Francis Stratford of Merevale; d 1819
d 12 Mar 1806
(matriculated from University College, Oxford) 17 Jan 1742
(called to the bar, Inner Temple) 1747
(by devise of his uncle ..... Dugdale, inherited the Dugdale estates and assumed the surname and arms of Dugdale) 1799
[SIMMS]
chn: Dugdale Stratford Geast LATER Dugdale b 1773 below
Penelope Geast m Charles James Packe of Prestwold
Louisa Anne Geast m William Dilke of Maxstoke Castle, Warwicks
Emma Geast

Dugdale Stratford Geast LATER Dugdale
b 1773

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Lawrence Geast of Rough Heath in Kings Norton, Worcs
b yr son of John Geast of Handsworth, Staffs
chn: William Geast (had a grant for 1,000 years of Owley Grange, Worcs from Thomas Blount and George Tokey)

Thomas Geast of Rough Heath in Kings Norton, Worcs c1489-....
chn: Edmund Geast b 1514 Northallerton, Yorks below

Edmund Geast 1514-1577
b 1514 Northallerton, Yorks
unm.
d 28 Feb 1576.7 Salisbury; i Salisbury; M.I.
(Bishop, Salisbury) 1571-d
[DNBonline, as Edmund Guest]

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GUEST OF WEST BROMWICH, STAFFS

John Guest
PEMBROKE
May 10, 1667

(admitted at PEMBROKE, Apr. 1, 1672
(B.A.) 1672-3. Previously matric. from Pembroke College, Oxford, May 10, 1667, age 17
son of Richard, of Stafford, clerk
(admitted at Lincoln's Inn, Nov. 28, 1670 s. and h. of Richard, of West Bromwich.
One of these names R. of Churchill, Worcs., 1678. (Al. Oxon.)